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Powers of a Constitutional Convention. The British Parliament is said to be omnipotent." That is to say, one Parliament cannot bind another-cannot pass any law which the next Parliament cannot repeal. That body's powers are limited by the lex non scripta only-that is, by the unwritten law of the land consisiting of the decisions of the courts, &c., &c. Laws which have existed so long that "the memory of man runneth not to the contrary take a high rank.

In the United States constitutional conventions possess very much the same powers as the British Parliament, Such a convention can of course pass no ordinance in conflict with the Constitution of the United States, but it can disregard and set at naught any and all provisions of the State Constitution. There are perhaps certain leges non scripta which even a constitutional convention cannot safely undertake to repeal, but we cannot go wrong in saying that a constitutional convention is as nearly "omnipotent" as the British Parlia-Numerous instances might be cited in

which State constitutional conventions have adopted constitutions without submitting them to the people. But we need not go out of Virginia to find a precedent. On the 29th of June, 1776, "the delegates and representatives of the good people of Virginia in convention assembled" did, in compliance with the recommendation of the General Congress, ordain and declare a form of government" (a constitu-tion) for Virginia. In December, 1863, the General Assembly of Virginia passed an set providing for a convention—not to hundred battle-fields. If Krupp wants the submit to the people, but to adopt this metal, Virginia can furnish it; if he alterations and amendments to the Consti- desires a site for an American gun-factory, tution of the Commonwealth, and said the vicinity of Richmond is the best locaconvention did in 1864 "adopt a revised tion he can find. and amended constitution as the form of government of Virginia."

The Mississippi Judiciary Committee, therefor, has done nothing not fully authorized by precedent. Senator George, its chairman, is one of the ablest erned by the precedent which requires the constitutional lawyers in the United point of order to be raised by some mem-States, and he has many able lawyers ber on the floor. as his colleagues in the Convention. Unquestionably the Judiciary Committee World, "to see a presiding officer who has was right in reporting to the convention some regard for precedents. That no right in reporting to the convention that this body "has itself the right" to member interrupted Mr. KENNEDY, even adopt a constitution, and in adding that though but a few listened to him, proves the theory that the vote of the people is that a considerable number of the Re necessary to its validity has no support in publicans sympathize with the feeling, if any principle of constitutional law and is not with the method, of his attack upon merely a political theory or doctrine which the Senate and upon Mr. Quay." has in some States acquired authority from usage. The doctrine has never prevailed in Mississippi and has no sanction there from

The doctrine thus disowned in Missis sippi was treated with utmost contempt by the Virginia Secession Convention of 1861, which not only performed the high duties with which it had been intrusted by the people, but engaged in the most ordinary legislation. For example, it "ordained" a stay-law and numerous other

Mr. Reed's New England Speech. Mr. REED is receiving ovations such as are usually reserved for great men.

He has been showered with applause all along the line from Washington to Maine, and the Republicans of New England have hailed him as a hero and deliverer. He has affected modesty in his speeches, but it is easy to see that he enjoys his consequence vastly and that he considers himself richly entitled to the sort of glory he

We have no disposition to belittle the Speaker's abilities; we give him credit for savage boldness and tenacity of purpose, but we must smile incredulously when he claims that he and his associates in the House of Representatives, in their violent denial of the rights of the minority, are ctuated by patriotic purposes. Nonsense. The love of office and power, of greed and gain, and the obligation to repay rich mo-nopolists who furnished them with money to carry the last presidential election, a the motives that rule them. The good of the country indeed! Mr. REED no doubt is an astute, but he is not a candid poli-

"If we have broken the precedents of an hundred years," said the Speaker in his Portland speech, "we have set the predents for another hundred years nobler than the last, wherein responsibility will wait on power, and wherein the people, with a full knowledge that their servants san act, will choose those who will worthlly carry out their will."

The Speaker does not now take the trouble to disguise the fact that in the ordents. He admits it, but pleads expediency. His argument is that the majority are charged with legislative responsiity, and when the minority seek to ob-struct them, they have the right to brush them out of the way unceremoniously.

On several occasions during his trip he used language which being interpreted ac-cording to the partisan feelings and sectional prejudices of his hearers is as much as to say that the South is the Democratic party, and that the southerners are intractable, negro-cheating, law-defying

Mr. Reap is burning with impatience ms of the House are offensive. He gards it as a waste of time to set apart days for eulogizing deceased members. He can see no good in an observance which compels members for a season to sheathe their weapons of warfare and come together quietly, reverently, in the presence of God and the dead, there to consider the solemnity and brevity of life. and the awfulness and certainty of death. He would stop all these ceremonials and utilize the time in passing election-laws to vex the southern people, or tariff bills that make the rich richer and the

hat he wishes to change the rule which aguires the years and nays to be taken upon the demand of one fifth. He would robably like to alter the provision from

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speaks of the southern Democrats as

"cohorts of fraud," who desire "not

to rule the black man of the South,
the white man of the North." He ex
to the force bill will become a law,
is a small proposition." says he, "to

that the United States elections of United States officers shall be housely conducted; that all honest votes shall be east and honestly counted as east. If there be any man in this country who opposes this bill there will not be many years before he will look hke those who proclaim divine

The Democrats of the North and West have long been witnesses at home of the out-rageous injustice of the Republican party.

There is not a State which Republicans

control where the rights of the minority

are respected. They hold the Legislature of New York by a fourteen-year-old gerry-

mander. Everywhere they ruthlessly re-

apportion and redistrict in their party's in-

terest. There are grave apprehensions that the census has been used to forward

pending contest is concerned the big, fat

dude Speaker from Maine has helped more

In Search of Ore.

Sudbury.

If iron is any longer serviceable in gun-

a and try some of the gun-iron made from

our famous ores. Cannon made at the Tred-

General Manone will hardly be surprised,

Our farmers in this section are rejoicing

n good corn and tobacco crops, and they

will enter into the canvass with much spirit and enthusiasm. A man who has well-filled barns feels that he can afford to

lose a day or two at political meetings, and when he hears a good thing said he has the

We have the first number of the North

Danville Enterprise, edited and owned by

Mrs. Annie Smith, the lady who wishes to

practice law in Virginia. We take it for

granted that the paper will be more or less

The fact that the Democrats won a great

victory in Vermont, if they did not carry

the State, is to be seen from the sullen

tone in which the Republican press speaks

Reed's Legislative Product.

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[Baltimore Sun.]

of the Green-Mountain boys.

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sumptions of the age.

party of the next House.

Also, Other Big Game in Abundance-Th the origin of slavery." First New-Cotton Cargo of As to the character of this bill it is a sufficient answer to Mr. Rego to say that many of the ablest and best men [Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.] in his own party are opposed to it; that it was put through the House by the very violence which it affects to aim NORFOLK, September 5, 1890. More rattlesnakes have made their ap to cure in the South; that in the Senate

pearance in Norfolk county on the edge of the Dismal swamp than for years, and a several well-known Republican members sternly antagonized it, and that at last the great number of the reptiles have been killed. All sorts of wild animals are numerous in the Great Dismal this year. Chairman of their National Committee insisted and arranged that its consideration and gunners can now enjoy fine sport should be postponed until the next sesin bringing in such big game as black bear and deer. The abundant corn crop attracts As to the "simple proposition," it is so the bears, and the farmers are providing against the ravages by trapping the "varsimple that the Democrats can clearly see that it creates a Republican canvassing board of unlimited power in every State where a Democratic canvassing board now

THEY WANT THE EARTH. THEY WANT THE EASTH.

The extraordinary prices charged for the right of way for the Beit-Line railway around Norfolk and Portsmonth will probably cause that important enterprise to fall through attogether. A good deal of property bought by syndicates in view of the building of the Belt railway will be of little value for a long time to come.

Professor King, of the Norfolk Young Men's Christian Association gyranasum, left to-day to take charge of the physical culture department of the Randolph-Macon College. He will also have supervision of the same department of the Randolph-Macon Academy at Bedford City.

VERY EARLY.

THE RATTLESNAKES

THE DISMAL SWAMP,

VERY EARLY.

their partisan purposes, and Mr. REED him-VERY EARLY.

The first cotton ship of the season, the steamship Sicilia, cleared vesterday for Liverpool with 3,500 bales of new cotton. A delivery in Liverpool in September is an unusual thing for this port.

The first steamship to load at the new piers of the Norfolk and Carolina railroad at Pinner's Point, the British ship Bendo, is now there taking on 11,000 bales of cotton. self stands conspicuously as the embodi-ment of the tyranny, injustice, and merciless rule of the Republicans when in power. His high-sounding vauntings of himself and party are entitled to be set down among the most brazen-faced as-It may be that Mr. REED will be reflect-

ton.
Secretary Tracy, of the Navy Department, will make a visit to the yard here the latter part of this month on the naval yacht Despatch to inspect the work on the Texas and Cruiser No. 8. ed, but if so he will belong to the minority There is hardly any doubt that the Democrats will carry the elections this year, and it would be ungrateful in us to PRESIDENT W. S. BUIT. refuse to acknowledge that so far as the

Mr. W. S. Butt has been elected president of the Merchants and Mechanics Bank to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Captain J. R. Spratley.

The New York steam-yacht Mignon arrived here to-day.

A ten-foot shark is now sporting around the harbor and the dock-men are after him daily. The sharks feed on the water-melon rinds and other vegetable offal floating about the harbor.

The negro Major Hill, captured in Petersburg and tried for grand larceny, and supposed to have stolen between \$2,000 and \$3,000 from Mr. George Staylor, has been convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for five years.

A SALVATION BARRACES. In Search of Ore.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept 4.—Herr Krupp, son of the great gun manufacturer, recently visited the Sudbury nickel- and coppermines, west of this city, with a view of testing the quality and quantity of ore produced and its adaptability to the manufacture of a new gun-metal which, it is said, will as far surpass for strength and durability the metal now in use as steel surpasses pig-iron. Nickel is employed very largely in the manufacture of this new metal, and if Herr Krupp's report is satisfactory it will mean a great deal for Sudbury. A SALVATION BARRACES.

The northern branches of the Salvation Army are going to build a parracks in Nor-folk in which to conduct their winter Officer Shoemaker, of the Richmond

Officer Shoemaker, of the Richmond police department, is spending his furlough in this vicinity.

It is reported that Commander Wheeler, of the Grand Army of the Republic, who made such a sensation in Petersburg by his resolution against Confederate flags, has lost his mind from softening of the brain and will be sent to an asylum. making Herr KRUPP should come to Virginegar Works in this city from ore mixed in this State were celebrated in days gone by. The United States army and navy both used them. The Confederate artille-ADJOURNED.

The State Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. (colored), has adjourned to meet in Richmond in September next. The grand officers were elected and R. A. Lee was elected grand lodge delegate to the wortby grand lodge, which convenes in Edinburgh, Sectland, next May.

A circular has been issued and is being distributed in this district notifying all Republicans who are opposed to the renomination of George E. Bowden that a meeting will be held Wednesday next at Page's Hall, this city, and inviting them to be present and participate.

Mr. Bunnows, the Speaker po tem., gives the New York World's Washington correspondent his reason for not calling Mr. KENNEDY to order. He was, he says, govto be present and participate. "It is at least refreshing," says the

THE WEST POINT LIBEL SUIT. Rev. Mr. Richardson Acquitted-A Trou blesome Matter Ended-Ratification Meeting.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.] WEST POINT, VA., September 5, 1890.
In the case of Rev. C. L. Morrison w.
Rev. Z. Parker Richardson for crimins
libel, which has been going on in Kin
William court for six days, the jury brough in a verdict yesterday acquitting Mr. Rich ardson.

General Mahone will hardly be surprised, nor yet chagrined, to hear that Professor Langsron in an address in Washington the night before last prophesied negro equality if not supremacy.

This utterance perhaps will draw the negroes of the Fourth district closer to Langsron, but it may somewhat embarrass the little General should he, as a good party man, be called upon to support the Professor as the Republican nominee for Congress.

We cannot forbear to express the gratification which we know the people of this city feel at the unanimous election of Dr. W. W. Parker to be president of the Medical Society of Virginia. He will worthly wear the house. He will worthly wear the house. The case was undoubtedly without a precedent in the court of King William. Over five days were taken up in hearing the evidence. R. H. Williams, Mrs. Harriet Garrett, Mrs. W. B. Lacy, and Mrs. C. L. Morrison, of West Point, and J. M. Davis, of King William, testified on behalf of Mr. Morrison. In addition to a number of other witnesses Revs. L. A. Cutler and I. J. Spencer, of Richmond, testified as to Mr. Richardson.

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W. W. Parker to be president of the Medi-cal Society of Virginia. He will worthily wear the honor. We trust that it will not BATIFICATION MEETING. The King and Queen Democrats held a meeting at the court-house yesterday, ratifying the nomination of Hon, W. A. Jones, of Richmond county, for Congress from the First district. The meeting was called to order by Major W. A. Saunders, county charman, and A. C. Walker was made secretary. be considered ungracious in us thus to single out the president of that "finest body of men in Virginia," as one of the members has designated it. Palmam qui meruit ferat is the society's motto or govern-

secretary.

The following resolution was offered by

The following resolution was offered by Mr. C. R. Haskins:

Resolved, That we, the Democrats of King and Queen county, do heartily endorse the action of the congressional convention assembled at Tappahannock in nominating the Hon. W. A. Jones as our standard-hearer in the coming contest, and hereby pledge him our united support until the canvass is over.

In offering the resolution Mr. Haskins said that he went to the convention favoring another man, but that as his name did not come before the convention, and in four successive ballots he was well ahead; that he was the convention's choice, and that now the people were united as one. Brown had been nominated by the Republicans, and before the sun went down on the 4th of November such a victory as had never before been in this district would be scored.

never before been in this district would be scored.

Hon, James N. Stubbs, of Gloucester, was then announced, and he made a strong speech. He reviewed the action of the present Congress and the force and McKinley bills. He also urged the importance of unity. He said that while victory was ours it would be a hard fight and every one should be at his post.

Hon, T. R. B. Wright, of Tappahannock, was then called for. He, too, criticised the two bills. He said that the present tariff protected the monopolist and made slaves of the farmer and poor man. He was curious to know how it was that the Roland chilled plow could be manufactured in Indiana and sold in Canada for \$4 less than at its factory-door, and mowers, sewing-machines, etc., in like proportion. While this could be done under the present tariff of 45 per cent. the McKinley bill would raise it to a fraction over 85 per cent. He also, as chairman of the District Committee, urged upon the people to do their duty. Reed's Legislative Product.

(Baltimore Sun.)

Speaker Reed's speech at Fortland, Maine, to be thoroughly understood, must be read with his Boston speech, in which he formally announces his view as to what progress consists in. "All progress," said the Speaker, "is over the ruins of old institutions." This sentiment is a key to all the Speaker's recent public acts and utterances. Our republic an institutions, as he finds them, are not to all takes, and he has no scruple about werthrowing them. "Progress" can be made only over their "ruins"—such progress as he desires. In his Portland speech Mr. Reed begins by showing that the Democratic party is essentially conservative. It wants to keep things as they are. The Coustitution and the traditions of the founders of the Government are good enough for the Democrats. They are not progressive in Mr. Reed's view, are truly progressive in the fact that they do what they want to do, be the incongruity of their policy with the Constitution what it may. Old fogies will talk about safeguards and the like, but the man of "progress." Mr. Reed thinks, will effect his present purpose. He will override right with might if he can by any means get a majority at his back. Mr. Reed recites the many measures passed by the House during the present session, thanks to his autocratic ruie. The House at least is now, he thinks, an efficient machine, whatever one may say of the Senate. What the Chicago platform said should be done the House has carried through. The Speaker makes a good showing as to the quantity of his legislative product. As to its quality, the country may not agree with him. Most of the new measures he has passed are, in the view of many observers, bad measures. The tariff bill, force bill, &c, are already odious. Mr. Reed thinks he is altogether right, but he has yet to hear from the people. to do their duty.

INTERESTING RELIGIOUS MEETINGS Conducted in Fluvanna County by th Revs. Wilson and Woodfin-Personal Notes.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

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FORK UNION, VA., September 5, 1890.
Rev. W. H. Wilson, the popular young pastor of the Presbyterian churches of this county, after having aided for some days in the Baptist meeting at Bulah, has been since conducting a very interesting meeting at Rivanna, one of the churches of which he is pastor.

At the Fork Baptist church, of this place, a meeting which had been protracted since Sunday last closed to-day. The preaching was by Rev. A. B. Woodfin, D. D., of Hampton. Though the season was a most busy one with the farming portion of the community such was the fascinating originality and burning zeal of this able divine that crowds flocked daily to hear him, and many were added to the already large membership of the church. A SOURCE OF REGRET.

The departure from Columbia of the genial and popular rector, Rev. E. B. Burwell, of the Episcopal church, is a source of profound regret to his many friends and admirers of the parish.

Dr. L. J. Jones, of Franklin, Ky., and Mrs. J. M. Crowder, of Birmingham, Ala, who have been spending with relatives a part of the summer here, have left for their respective homes.

Mr. A. J. Taylor, whose platform as a candidate for Congress was faithfully outlined in my letter of last week complains that the designation "Independent Re-

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.-Morning services with Holy Communion at II o'clock. Evening services at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. CARMICHEAL is exported to preach at both

HAVE APPEARED IN FORCE AROUND PETST. JOHN'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH (Broad street corner Twenty-fifth)—Rev. Lawis W. Burros, Rector.— Sermon and Holy Communion at 11 A. M. Eveling prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock. A cordial

MONUMENTAL CHURCH PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL)-Rev. JOHN B. Nawton, Rector.—Divine service, with the Holy Communion, at 11 A. M. Sunday school closed until the second Sunday in September. A cordial

MOORE MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Service and sermen by Rev. Mr. PATTON every SUNDAY MORNING at 11:15. Seats free, and all invited.

BEST ALL-SAINTS CHURCH (Madison street near Grace)—Rev. J. Y. Downmann, Rector.—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 6:15 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:33 A. M. CHRIST CHURCH (CORNER

Twenty-second and Venable streets). -- Service and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.; sermon by the rector, Rev. J. B. FUNSTEN; evening service, 8 o'clock. WEDNESDAY service at 8 P. M. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

CHURCH (corner Grace and Madison streets).— Services by the Pastor at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. SECOND PRESBYTERIAN.

6 o'clock until further notice. THIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. J. P. GAMMON, Pastor.-Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. WEDNESDAY NIGHT prayer-meeting at 8 o'clock.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. J. CALVIN STEWART, Pastor. Sunday school at 9 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rov. JOHN POLLARD, D. D., of Richmond. Joint service at IMMANUEL CHAPEL (Corner Beveriey and Washington streets). Preaching by Rev. PIKE POWERS at 5 P. M.

GRACE-STREET PRESBYTE-RIAN CHURCH-Rev. James Y. Fair, D. D., Pastor.-Service at 11 o'clock A. M. and 8:15 o'clock P. M. Preaching by the Pastor. Sabbath school services at 9% o'clock A. M. WEDNESDAY NIGHT services at 8% o'clock.

WESTMINSTER PRESBY-TERIAN CHURCH (corner Cary and Sycamore streets).—Services every Sunday Afternoon at 5 o'clock; also, every Friday Evening at 8:15 o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. James Little. All Sunday school every Sunday morning, beginning at 9:30 o'clock. BOT OLD MARKET PRESBYTE-

RIAN CHURCH .- Rev. Dr. NEWTON SUNDAY at 8:15 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Gospo services THURSDAY at 8:15 P. M.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH (corner of Broad and Twentieth streets)-Rev. JESSE T. WHITLEY, Paster.-On SUNDAY, September 7th, the Pastor will preach at 11 o'clock A. M. on "The Characteristics of a True Methodist," and will administer the Holy Communion after the sermon. At 8 P. M. he will discourse on "How a Revenue Officer Got Religion." Free seats and a welcome to all. Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. Service of prayer and praise WEDNESDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock.

PARK-PLACE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (west Franklin street)-Rev. J. Willey Bledson, Pastor.—Proaching at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. by the Pastor. Sunday school at 2:15 A. M. Class-meeting at 3 P. M.

Wednesday-evening services at 8:15 o'clock. Strangers are cordially invited to attend all the services. Seats free. be services. Seats free.

1 of the Congregation "Beth Ahaba" will be at the Synagogue on Eleventh street on SUNDAY MORNING next, the 7th instant, at 10 o'clock

CHURCH (Broad and Tenth streets)-Rev. S. S. LAMBETH, D. D., Pastor.—Sunday-school prayer-meeting SUNDAY MORNING at 9 o'clock. Sunday school and Bible classes at 2:50 A. M. Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M. and 8 o'clock P. M. Lecture WEDNESDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock. Class-meeting THURSDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock. ts DECENTENARY METHODIST

CHURCH (Grace street between Fourth and

lifth)-Rev. WILLIAM R. JUDKINS, Pastor .-

Presching at 11 o'clock A. M. and at 8:15 P. M by the paster. Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. Wednesday-night service at 8:15 o'clock. Seats free Strangers and others always welcome. CLAY-STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH (corner of Clay Hoy, W. H. ATWILL at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

Sunday school at 9 A. M. Wednesday services at 7:45 P. M. Thursday class- and prayer-meet ing at 7:45 P. M. BESTUNION-STATION METHO-DIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (corner Twentyfourth and N streets, -Rev. James C. MARTIN Pastor. -SUNDAY-MORNING class at 9 o'clock Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Wednesday

night services at 7:45 o'clock. Young Men's prayer-meeting Thursday night at 7:45 o'clock. BOF FRIENDS .- MEETING FOR divine worship EVERY SARBATH MORNING at 11 o'clock. Seats are free, and all are welcome Meeting-house, Clay street above First. Services

also at 11 o'clock on WEDNESDAY MORNING. to FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (corner Broad and Twelfth streets).-Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. by Rev. J. C. HIDEN.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. W. W. LANDRUM, D. D., at 11 A. M. and at 8

GRACE-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH, worshipping at the Tabernacle cor-

Rev. W. E. HATCHER, Pastor. Alexandria. There will be no preaching at night.

BEF LEIGH-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH (corner Twenty-fifth and Leigh reets-Rev. J. M. FROST, D. D., Pastor. - Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Prayer-meeting WEDNESDAY NIGHT at

Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. Young men's prayer-meeting Tursday Night

BOT GROVE - AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH (between Linden and Beech streets)— Dr. S. A. GOODWIN, Pastor.—Preaching SUMPAY at 11 A. M. by Rev. JAMES LITTLE, D. D., and at 8 P. M. by Rev. GRORGE F. WILLIAMS. Sunday school at 9 A. M. Prayer-meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Young Men's prayer-meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

BETCLAY-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH (corner Clay and Graham streets)— Rev. S. C. CLOPTON, Pastor.—Sunday school at 9 A. M.; worship at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 7:45 P. M. Youn men's meeting Saturday at 7:45 P. M.

PER PINE-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH (corner Pine and Albemarie streets)— Rev. J. B. Hutson, Pastor.—Preaching at 11 A. M. and S P. M. A cordial welcome to ail. Seats

FOURTH-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. H. F. WILLIAMS, Pastor.— Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9½ A. M. VENABLE-STREET CHURCH orner Pickets and Venable)-H. H. Piff, D. D.

Pastor.—Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Presct ing at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Seats free, All we CHURCH.—Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M. and 8 o'clock P. M. by Rev. W. M. JERNINGS. Young mou's prayer meeting at 8:30 P. M. Young people's meeting Tucsday night at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 8:30 A. M. All are welcome.

GOSPEL SERVICES WILL BE

SEVENTH-STREET CHRIS-TIAN CHURCH.—The pastor, Rev. Janes Hall, having returned to the city will preach at 11 A.

M. No services at night. Night services to be resumed on Sunday the 14th instant. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.

surned to the city will occupy his pulpit in tarshall-Street Christian Church SUNDAY at 11 A. M. and S P. M. Seats free, Public cordially

REV. L. A. CUTLER HAVING

THIRD CHRISTIAN CHURCH (Twenty-sixth and Marshall streets)—Rev. E. A. COLE, Pastor.—Regular services SUNDAY MORN-ING at 11 o'clock. Special missionary service at P. M. All invited.

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